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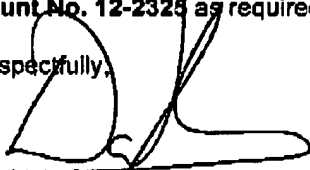
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Enclosed is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313-1450****AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE****Sir:**

This is an amendment in response to the Office Action mailed June 15, 2004 and is being filed within the second month of extension. A Petition for Extension of Time to and including November 15, 2004 is filed herewith.

Please amend the above-identified application and enter remarks as follows.

**Amendments to the Abstract** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Listing and Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.